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Docket No.: 060188-0754

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 53080
Takahiko MURATA, et al.	:	Confirmation Number: 8016
Application No.: 10/759,570	:	Group Art Unit: 2622
Filed: January 20, 2004	:	Examiner: Albert H. CUTLER
For: SOLID STATE IMAGING APPARATUS, METHOD FOR DRIVING THE SAME AND CAMERA USING THE SAME		

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 22, 2007, wherein a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on June 22, 2007, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendment and remarks.

**Amendment to the Specification** begins on page 2 of this document;

**Amendment to the Claims** begin on page 3 of this document; and

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this document.